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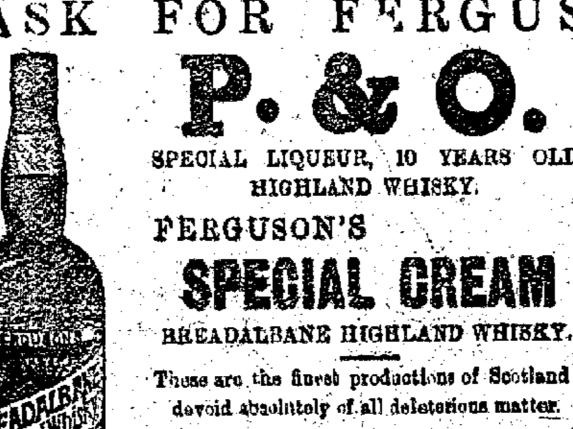
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EDWARD BEDLOE, U. B. Consul. UNITED STATES CONSULATE, Canton, China, 1st Feb., 1898. 358

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Business:—(1) Adoption of Reports and
Passing of Accounts; (2) Alteration of Club
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W. MACHELL. Acting Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, May 21, 1898. A LONG FELT WANT AT LAST

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TUK CHI YAN, Commonly known as CHEUNG WO OLD MAN, has left the Employ of the Undersigned on the 14 h Instant. CHEUNG WO, TAKER SHOP, No. 80, Queen's Road Central.

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Interval of 5 Minutes.

Exposition of the Mystery of the Mystical Five. The Way to God. The First and Last Link.

Alphabetically and Diagramatically Defined. -WILL, FRANK COX, Instructor of Mathematics, Science and Art, 9, MORRISON HILL ROAD, HONGKONG. Hongkong, May 25, 1898.

#### Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Pablic Auction, on SATURDAY,

the 28th May, 1898, at 2.30 p.m., at his Salo's Rooms, Dodded Street, -

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Auctioneer. Hongkong, May 25, 1898.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION. No. 221.

HE following Particulars and Conditions of SALE of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUCTION, to be held on the Spot, on TUESDAY, the 31st day of May, 1898, at 3 p.m., are published for general informa-

By Command, T. SERCOMBE SMITH, Acti g Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Hongkong, 14th May, 1898. Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on TUESDAY, the Slat day of May, 1898, at 3 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land in the Colony of Hongkong, for

Particulars of the Lot.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Manegers.

Hongkong, May 27, 1898. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

 The Steam ship Acrato n Apcar, Captain E. Fay, will be despaiched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 1st June,

at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 27, 1898. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND

----NAGASAKI, (Passing through the INLAND SEA). The Co.'s Steamship Hohenzollern. Capt. H. BLEEKER, will leave for the above Ports on or about WEDNESD IY, the 1st June.

MELOHERS & Co., Ayents. Hongkong, May 27, 1898.

For further Particulars, apply to

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL. The Co.'s Steamship Captain H. Supura, due here with the outward German Mell about TUESDAY, the Slat Inst, will leave for the above Place about i

24 hours stier arrival. For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agetate.

Hongkong, May 27, 1898. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL The Co, a Steamship

Captain Nelson, will he despatched as above on THURSDAY, the Sad June, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hougkong, May, 21, 1898. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

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ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

that their Goods are being landed and placed at their rick in the Honexoxe AND KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gopowsk at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. This Vessel brings in Cargo : -

From Loubon, Go, ex s, s, Oceana, From Australita, et s. a. Arcidia. From Panntag Gute, et a. a. R. lma. Optional Goods will be lauded here unless instructions are given to the pontrary before 4 p.m., To-DAY.
Goods not cleared by the 2nd June, 44 4 n.m., will be subject to reat; No Fire Insurance will be effected by ins

All Damagad Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the date- Major Bent ; for London, Meen's J. Gardia age obtained from the Godown Company has and T. Dovemont. From Kobe : for age obtained from the Gottown Company atthin ton days after the vessel's arrival how after which no a large will be re-

#### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

| Destination.           | Vessels.                | Agents.                       | Date of Leaving.   |
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| Australian Ports       | Airlio (a)              | Gibb, Livingston & Co.        | fune 10, at 4 pm.  |
| Bremen'& Ports of Cal  |                         | Norddentacher Lloyd           | June 22, at 9 s.m. |
| Kobo and Yokohama.     | <u> </u>                | Tippon Yanen Kaisha           | June 9, at 4 p.m.  |
|                        | Adria (s)               | Jarlowitz & Co                | Abqut June 15.     |
| London & Porce of Ual  |                         | . P. & O. B. N. Uo            | May 28, at noon.   |
| London, v. Suez C40a   |                         | dutterfield & Swire           | May 28, at 4 p.m.  |
| London, v. Suez Can    |                         | Jutterneid & Swife            | June 1.            |
| Marseilles v. Suigon   |                         | Messageries Maritime          | June 4, at noon.   |
| M'soilles, London, &c. |                         | Nippon Yusen Kaisas           | June 7, at 4 p.m.  |
| Nagasaki, Koba & Y'm.  |                         | Nippon Yusen Kaishs.          | May 30, at 4 p.m.  |
| Nag naki Kobe& Y'm     |                         | P. & O. S. N. Co              | May 29, daylight.  |
|                        | Queen Margaret (s)      | Shewan, Tomes & Co.           | About June 5.      |
| New York, v. Suez Cana |                         | Dodwell, Carlill & Co         | May 28, at noon.   |
| New York               | St. David               | lilemason & Co                | .Quick despaich.   |
| Portland, Oregon       |                         | Dodwell, Carlill & Co         | June 4, at noon    |
| S. Francisco, v. Japa  | Contic (8)              | ( <b>0. &amp; 0.</b> 8. 8. 05 | May 28, daylight.  |
| S. Fraucisco, v. Japa. | City of Rio da J'eiro ( | Pacific Mail S. S. O          | June 7, at noon.   |
| San Francisco          |                         | Shewan, Tomes & Co.           | Quick despaten.    |
|                        | Riojun Maru (s)         | Nippon Yusen Kaisha           | June 16, at 4 p.m. |
| Shanghai               |                         | P. & O. S. N. Co              | May 28, at 10 a.m  |
| Shanghai               |                         | Siemasen & Co                 | May 31, at 5 p.m.  |
| Shangha:               |                         | Norddoutscher Lleyd           | About June 1.      |
| shanghai               |                         | Suttorneld & Swire            | June 2, at 4 p.m.  |
| 8'pore, H're & H'bur   | g Bellona (b)           | Siemssen & Co                 | May 29, daylight.  |
|                        | Arratoon Apear (s)      | D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.        | June 1, at 3 p.m.  |
| Straits and Bombay     |                         | P. & Q. S. N. Co              |                    |
|                        | Fhalon (a)              | Douglas Lapraik & Co          | May 29, daylight   |
|                        | Arizona (a)             | "Dodweii, Oarlili & Oo        |                    |
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| Vancouvei (B.O.), 🗵    | Empress of China (a)    | " Canadian Pijio 👀 Oo         | June 8 at moor.    |
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| V'ma Kobé& Nagasak     | i Hohenzollern (s)      | Norddeutscher Lloyd           | About June 1.      |

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA: PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Arratoon Apear having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 p.m. of the 30th Instant, will be landed at Consignees rink and expense into the Godowns of the HONGRONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AN GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Wanchai. Consignees of Cargo from SINGAPORI and PENANG are requested to take IMME place delivery of their Goods from alongside; such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at

Consiguees' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, May 27, 1898.

## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. May 26.

Hongkong, French steamer, 734, Bastian, Haiphong and Hoihow May 25, Rice and General.—A. R. MARTY.

Arratoon Ancar, British steamer, 1,392. E. Fey, Celcutta May 7, Penang 17, and Singapore 20, Opium and General. - DAVID BASSOON, SONE & Co.

Tokio Ma u, Japanese etr., 1,260, E. W. Haswell, Melbourne April 30, and Thursday Island May 10, General. - NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

May 27. Devawongse, British steamer, 1,057, R. Ourtis, Koh si-chang May 21, General.-

YUEN FAT HONG. Thales, British steamer, 820. Bathorst, Foochow May 24, Amoy 25, and Swatow 26. General. DOUGLAS STRANSHIP Co. Chusan, British steamer, 2,852, E. Street,

Bombay May 11, and Singapore 22, Maila and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Moji Moru, Japanese steamer, 1.595, H. For SHANGRAL.-Haynehi, Saigon May 21, Rice. - Onder. Sinkel, Japaness atr., 264, K. Variel-Laurs, Wegener & Ch. Mathilde, German str., 600, N. Hensen,

Halphong and Hollow M.y 26, General. -JEESEN & Co.

DEPARTURES. May 27, Caylon, for Sharghal, Unsang, for H ngay, Kong Beng, for Salgon; Ath for Heiphorg. 13mi Maru, for Thursday Island, &c. Bailoong, for Swatow. Haimun, for Swater. (Aina, for Salpon, Deucalion, for Sandakan.

Benfomend, for Salzeo. Machew, for Bangkok, Bread Mayne, for Pankalannie U. CLEARED.

What m, for Suigen. Chira for Haiphong. P. C. C. Klao, for Heibaw. Rasrgia, for Singapore and New York.

> PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Arratoon Apear, from Onleutts, &co., Mr and Mrs Herbert, Mr and Mrs Lindsey and child, Mrs Bridge, Mr and Miss Brown, Mr. Mrs and Miss Phillips, Messrs C. V. Apear, Joseph, K. C. Chong, and Storrock, Per Tokio Maru, from Melbourne, &c. for Hongkong, Mr. H. W. Wickens,

Europeans, 20 Chinese and 3 Japanese for Nagasaki, Mrs Kinoshita ; for Yokohama, Mrs R. G. Warton, Miss A. Cooper, Mr Henry Edgell, Mine M. E. Mead, Mesars H. Waterfield and R. F. Fornaris. Per Devamongse, from Koh al chang, 17

Per Thules, from Coast P rt., Mrs Lewis, Men Smith, Me B. y.I, Capt Monguetorf, and 63 Chinese. Per Chusan, for Hongkong : from London, Messre J. Richardson, Macpherson, Hancock, and B ndmaster Tyrrell; from Brindle, M. F. Smith | from Bombay, Lieut. Pratt and Mr H. Bennett , from Colombo. Me T. Kodaliky from Singapor, Lieut, Hendley, Mr R. Gutierret, and native softers. For Shanghai ; from London Meaurs G. Richardson, H. Richardson, and H. Thomas ; from Brindist, Mr. L Biddulph | from Bombay, Cobt, Gnild. ing, Mt and Mrs Martin, and Mr R. Rerment, Mesure Andul Age, Front Alt, and dom Capt. P. Marshall, and Major A. Churchill | rom Bombay, Mine Blankelin.

Per Gauton, from Hongkong | for Lon-don, Mr. H. W. Irish, Bostawain W. J. Balley, From Yokoliama for Parana. Biography Sir El, A. Stevens

Biography Sir El, A. Stevens

Ball Mr u. J. Todo for Tempering Mr and M's Thististhesite and child. Mr and Mry Minger Mitger Milner (9), und O M.

To-day's Advertisements. Remaintain and Caswell, Mr and Mrs Mataude, and Mr Bailley.

BRIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Arratoon Appear reports: Very fine weather, rea perfectly calm The British steamer Devamonase reports:

From port to port, we had light East and N.E'ly winds and fine clear weather Too British steamer Thales reports: From Foochow, fresh N.E. wind and fine. From Amoy, light variable wind and fine. From Swatow, light S.W. wind and fine. Steamer in Fouchow: Choysang. Stra. in Amny : Wencheso, Horg Leong, and Lee

Yuen. Stis. in Systow : Loosok, Siungan, and Kiananan. The British steamer Chusan reports: Fine weather. The Japanese steamer Sinkai reports: Strong N.E. wind and sea from Tamen toward Dodd Island : from D.dd Island to

Hongkong, fine moderate weather and sen and S.W. wind. The Japanese steamer Moji Maris reports: 1050 The weather fine; cloudy sky and light breaza with amouth sea.

#### POST OFFICE NOTICES. M: IES will close:-

For SHANGHAI -Per Chusan, Registration at 8 a.m., Letters at 8.30 a.m., on Saturday,

the 28th May. (Late Letters 8.40. to 9 a.m.) For HONGAY .-Per Cunton, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,

the 28th May. For SINGAPORE --Per Energia, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,

Per Sarpedon, at 3.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 28th May. Per Bellong, at 5 p.m., on Siturday,

the 28th May.

Per Glono, is, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 7th June. For HOLHOW & PARHOL-Per Triumph, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 28th May.

For HOLBOW, SINGAPORE & BANG-Per P. C. C. Kino, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 29th May,

Per Loosgmoon, at 4.30 p.m., on Tuesday, the 31st May. mann, Temaul May 25, at 2 p.m., Cual .- For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL. CUTTA.—

Pur Arratoon Apour, at 2 p.m., on Wedneadays the lat June. For SHANGHAL MOJI, KOBE, YOKO. HAMA & PORTLAND, OR -Por Braemar, at 10 a.m., on Saturday,

tha din Tune. MAILS DY THE BRITISH PACKET. --The British Constant Packet Bengal will be desiretated on SATURDAY the 25th My with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe, and sountries begoind, via Drinder, to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands Ludia. Burman, Coylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta. and Gibralter.

aloning, the Mails de. ROURS OF DECISION THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they

The usual hours will be observed in

The following hours will be observed in eave at Noon. The Money Order Office, will be closed at 5 the day before.
8.00 A.M. Posting of Prices Current and Circulars cessos.

(Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to 10 o'clock If they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all OHE WAY). 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases.

10.30 a.m. Posting of Newspapers Books, and Patterns ceases. IL DO A.M. -- Mail closes. Market Litreas may be posted (from 11.10 Ltc. I with 10 cents late fee up to 11.30 A.m., after which hourthey may be sent on Board with the same Late

Grobations. Новокова; Мау 27, 1898 PIUM -Now Paths, cash, ... f 974 Old ... Out, ... 74:2 New Benares, cash, 698 Old ... Cash... 720 New Malwa, oradir... 810 Allowance Cuts..... 8 Orl Malwa credit ... 840/860 Alowauce. Taels, ... 0/8 Piraian, Oilp. cash, ...... Alkiwance, Taels, ... ---Pareisn, Paper tied 1990 Allowator Taols ... 0

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MEMOS FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight .- Occidental & Oriental Steamship Co.'s Steamer Coptic leaves for Shanghai, Japan and San Francisco. 10 m.m.—Chusyn leaves for Shanghal. Noon - English Mail Steamer leaves for Ports of Call and Europe, Noon. - Energia leaves for New York. 4 p. m .- Sarpedon leaves for Lidon, &c.

Meeting. Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of the A. S. Watson & Co., Limited, in the Board Room, at the Hongkong Dispensary.

Auctions. 2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at Mr. Geo. P. Lammert's.

General Memoranda. MONDAY, May 30 :--9 p.m.-Meeting of Victoria Preceptory. Local Banka close. Insurance Offices close. Goods per Sydney undelivered after this date at Noon, subject to rent. Goods per Arratoon Apear undelivered

after 4 p.m. this date landed. TUESDAY, May 31 :-3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land at Peak Road, (above Queen's Gardens.) \* 5.15 p.m.-Messag of Victoria Recreation Club, in the Olub Gymnssium. Goods per Ceylon not cleared after 4 p. m. subject to rent.

THURSDAY, June 27. Goods per Chusan not cleared after 4 p.m. subject to rent. SATURDAY, June 4:---11 a.m. -- Meeting of Shareholders of the

China Provident Loan and Mortgage

Co., Limited, at the Comp ny's Offices,

9 p.m.-Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

WEDNESDAY, June 1:-

No. 9, Praya Central. Exchange

HONGKONG, May 27, 1898. ... 1/10.5 On demand. 30 days' sight, ... ... ...1/10g 4 months sight, ... 1/10,7 Oredits, 4 Documentary, 4 months eight, ...1/104 On Paris— On demand. Credits, 4 months' sight. On Berlin-Demand.... ... On New York— On demand, Orodita, 60 days' sight,... ... 46 On Bombay— On demand. On Caloutta-Wire, ter see see On Singapore-On demand, On Manila— On demand. On Shanghai---

On demand. 30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 751 On Yokohama-On demand, ... ... 8% pm. Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael)... Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ... \$10.60 Silver (per os.) ... ... ...

WATEON & Co., LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

AND SPIRITS.

LL these are selected by our London House, bought direct at first hand imported in wood and buttled by ourselver, thus saving all intermediate profits, and enabling us to supply the best growths at MODERATE PRICES.

PRICE LISTS, with Full Details, to be had on Application:

ORT : fire removal should be realed a month before uso. When required for drinking at once it should be ordered to be decauted at the Dispensary before being sent out.

HERRY. - Fro lent Dinner and After Dinner Win. s of very superior Vintages. All are true Xeres Wines.

LARET.—Our Clarets, including the lowest priced, are guaranteed to be the genuins product of the juice of the greps and are not artificially made from raisins and currents, as is gener ally the case with Cheap Wines.

price being merely a question of age and vintage. WHISKY, -All our Whisky is of excellent

quality and of greater age then most brands in the market. The SCOTOH WHISKY marked R' is minversally popular, and is pronounced by the best local connoisseurs to be supe for Pileo Toning and Repairs from Munic, Fatalians to any other brand in the Hongkong Mandelins, Banjus, fine stock -- Robin-

Woonly guarantee out Wices and Spirits VI Master, Station School Bawal to be foullist when hought direct to me un \$1900; says ! I recent Chamberlain in the Colone or from our an horizad mander. Have sens it used for worthanks. Agonis at the Coast Ports.

LEVITEON ASSOCIATION. THE ROYSEONS DIFFERENCES. 

At No. 6, Granville Avenue, on the 27th May, the Wife of J. A. PEARNE, of begun at 11.15 a.m. a Daughter. Prematurely.

the 22nd May, Semplicio. Tizon (Public Bandsman); aged 38 years.

24 The publication of this issue commenced at 6.20 p.m.

The China Itlail.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

HONGKONG, PRIDAY, MAY 27, 1898

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.) Outward Bound :- Undaunted, April 12 : Breconshire, Cuprus, Agamemnon, 19; Oak Branch, 22; Vindobona, Labuan, 26 ; Fortuna, Woolwich, May 3; Hector, Moment, Teenkai, Sikh, 6; Rednor- reference to 'The Lucky Five.' Mr Cox shire, Ceres, Senta. 9; Caledonien, Adana, Glenochy, 13; Darmstadt, Irene, Shanghai, Aggi, Asturia, 17; Ben-Tantalus, Kendal, Kwang Ping, 20-23; ject. Gerard C. Tobey, Glengyle, Diomed, 24.

Homeward Bound:-Japon, April 22; The following is a specimen of the war-Turbo, 29; Borneo, May 3; Oopack, 6 : Elm Branch, 9 : Gerda, Durdanus, Sunda, 13; Benalder, 17; Prinz Heinrich, 24. -

PASSED ANJER. Outward: -March 31.-American ship William H. May for Yokohama, from New York Nov. 12, April 1 .- British bk. Invermark from Liverpool, for. Manila March 1. May 18, Mary L.

HOMEWARD: -- March 20. -- Brit. ship Selkirk from Manila, March 5, for Boston. 28 .- Amer. ship William H. Smith from Manila, March 9, for New York. March 28 .- Brit. barque Ganges from Manila, March 4, for London. April 5.—Germ. ship Caesarea from Philadelphia, Jan. 5, Shanghai. April 9 .- Italian brig Garibaldi from New York, Dec. 22, for Sai-

The P. M. s. s. City of Rio de Janeiro, with the American Mail of 30th 'April, left Yokohama on Monday the 31st May. The C. P. R. Co.'s s. s. Empress of China arrived at Nagasaki at 3 a.m. on Thursday, the 26th May, and she leaves at 7 p.m. of same day for

Shanghai, where she is expected to The O. & O. Co.'s chartered str. Venus. with mails &c., left San Francisco for on the 6th May. The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Gaelic, with mails land Sea, Negasaki and Shanghai, on

the 10th May.

Bleamers Expected. The N. P. Co. e.s. Browner has arrived evidence of weakness leading to fresh at Yokohama, from Portland, and demands upon China for concessions of sailed on the 24th May, for Kobe and territory. Hongkong. The s. s. Glenfury, from Middlesboro, Lon-

don and Straits, left Singapore for this Le Courrier de Saigon, accuses England of port on the evening of 23rd May. The N. Y. K. s. s. Inaba Mart left Singspore for this port on the 25th May, afternoon of the 80th May. The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Pricen, from Glasgow, left Singapore on Wednesday expected here on or about Tuesday,

expected to arrive here on the 1st The P. & O. Co. o s. s. Bombay left Sin-The C. M. Co.'s str. Meyane, from Glas-

ed due at Singapore on or about the for this port on the 22nd May, and is due here on crabout the 9th June. The U. M. Co.'s str. Paking, from Swanthe Canal on the 20th May, and may be considered due at Singapore on or shout the 8th June. Tacoma, for Japan and Hongkong, on

The N. P. Co.'s s. a. Mount sailed from Portland, On, for Japan and Hongkong, on the 17th May. Leitest Arlowes. The D. D. R. str. Della, from Hamburg,

the 10th May.

left Singapore for this port on the 26th May, and may be expected here on or about the 1st May.
The Imp. German Mail s. s. Sachsen, carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of May 2nd left Singapore on Thursday, the 26th May, at p.m., and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 31st May.

THE P. & O. Co. s s. s. Chusan, Captain E. Street, will leave for Shanghai at 10 a.m. to-morrow, the 28th instant.

BRANDY -All our Brandy is guaranteed A London telegram in Australian ex Manila, and he is able to give an emphatic to be pure O goed, the difference in changes states that the City of Peking, now denial to the statement that the Esmenulda en route to Manila with American troops, was with the U.S. squadron when Correis carrying a supply of coal and the necessing dor was passed. sary appliances for repairing the damage done to the American wavehips in the naval Ventus 17 for Done :- At Zouloonengagement at Manile, and also for raising Holstelu, Isliforo Pons, Feihoo, Phra C. C. the Spanish watchips which were sunk to Klac, Arizona, H.M.S. Tweed, Regina, avoid capture.

'Acted like a charm.'

Pheninatian and once on a very had enalded form and a each of these installment the Pair Baill select like a charm. Brank one who does Chamberlain's Pale Bain a ways speak in the same serror 

THE delivery of the English Mail was

Tue homeward-bound H.M.S. Edgar-ar-At the General Hospital, Shanghai, on rived at Colombo on the 11th inst.

THE Narcissus and Fame arrived at Weihai-wei from Chefoo on the 21st inst.

Tue first water polo match of the Victoria Recreation Club will be played to-morrow at 5.30 p.m. sharp. The following telegram appears in Aus-

tralian contemporaries :- The Hongkong hanks have chartered steamers to proceed to Manila for the purpose of rescuing the specie in the banks at that port. In our advertising columns there appears an advertisement by Mr Will. F. Cox with

is willing to give instruction in 'The True Work of Theosophy to those desirous of larig, Benledi, Ixion, Oceanien, Pakling, sequiring a knowledge of this occult sub-

> news purveyed for India by Router :-London, May 12. The cable in Manila Bay has been restored and a despatch from Admiral Dewey says that the position at Manila is un-'Her Majesty's ship Linuc has arrived at Hongkong, and reports that anarchy and famine prevail in the Philippines.

We know, of course, that the cable has

not been restored. March 26 - British ship Treasurer from LAST night, a party of excise officers visit-Hoile, Feb. 28, for New York. March ed a house in East Street which they searched under a warrant for opium. The officers were in possession of information that a woman residing in the house had for Nagasaki. April 9.—American ship brought down a quantity of opium from Dirigo from New York, Jan. 13, for Canton to sell to street hawkers. In an aperture in the wall, closed with a brick, outside the room occupied by this woman, forty tacks of prepared opium were found At the Magistracy to-day, the woman was

morning, the 23rd May, and may be In view of the war, and our duty as a expected here on or about Tuesday, neutral Power, Mirs Bay, which lies opposite Hongkong, becomes specially important (says a Home paper). What is to prevent the United States ships from obtaining coal there to almost any extent? arrive at 6 a.m. on Saturday, the 28th The colliers and tenders have only to cross over from Hongkong to supply them. Besides having a possible store of complithis port, via Yokohama and Kobe, cations for ourselves, fears are expressed that if China continues to allow the Ame-&c., left San Francisco for this port ricans to use Mirs Bay as a naval base via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, In- other Powers will use the fact as an argument to prove that China is unable to safoguard her sovereign rights on her own consts, and that there is danger of this

aiding and abetting the United States in Manila Bay. Our French neighbours, of and is expected to arrive here on the course with a few bright exceptions, never lose an opportunity of vilifying England and Englishmen. Life is too-short and afternoon, the 25th May, and may be the prossure of daily routing too covers to permit of nailing every French lie to the The O. S. S. Cols str. Bell:rophon left counter, but we cannot allow one remark Penang on the 20th May, and may be of our Franch contemporary to pass with. out contradiction. In a long leading article on 'Le Combat Naval de Cavite.' gapore for this port on the 25th May, Le Courrier states that the U.S. equadren was piloted into Manila Bay by the gow and Liverpool, passed the Canal Esmerolda. The lie given the start is very on the 6th May, and may be consider, hard to overtake. Doubtless, by this time, it is believed in all quarters of the globs The N. G. I. s. a. Letimbro left Bombay that a British vestel actually piloted the American warships. Le Courrier rays :- 11 the Americans had taken on board one, ets. Clasgow and Liverpool, passed two, or even ton men to guide them, whether these men were British subjects or not, the Government of the Queen could The N. P. Co. s s. s. Commbin salled from not be made responsible for them. These men, being free agents, at their own risk. might sell their services to whomsoever they please. But when an English steamer (the Esmeralda, it is said) is put at the head of the live, that changes the conditions of the combat; it is no longer neutrality. The incident will be pigeon-holed. and, if it is confirmed, God knows what may be the outcome. We foresee another Alabama question.' Our Saigon contemporary will be pleased to learn - and will doubtless taketheopportunity of making the contradiction known—that neither the British steamer Esmeralda, nor any other British steamer, piloted Admiral Dawey's warships into Manila Bay. The Special Correspondent of the China Mail was on

board the Kemeralda on her last yoyage to

Aberdeen. - (None). TRAMEPOSING and Cabin Pishon are invaluable and very strong. - Robinson Plane Co.

Composition Taipan, White Cloud

eased. - Remember that the slood, whether pure 

We would call attention to the Rifle Association notification appearing amongst the new advertisements.

that city contains some flattering notices of loon may be posted up to 9 a.m. the individual members of the Company, night box will be left open. The Money not least of whom is our genial old friend, Coder Office will be entirely closed. Bob Love.

The Peking Dorby was won by Sir Claude Macdonald's Decypher, riddon by Mr Hunt; Mr Gwynne's Rumour, ridden by Mr J. Stewart, won the Champions; Mr Dulow's Descartes was second and Mr Grosvenor's Transfer third.

THE Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Nethersole Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donation to the funds of the Hospitals :-

Surplus from Children's Dancing 

The Labuan correspondent of the Singa pore Free Press now announces that Mr G. Hewett, Resident of Province Alcock, in addition to Mr Wise, has resigned, feeling himself unable to agree with the - B.N.B. Government's policy-with-regard to Mat Salleh.

THE Dent Challenge Cup was won at the light; fine. Shanghai Spring Regatta by the Taikoo four, stroked by H. E. Shadgett. The Wayfoong four were second and the Ewo third. The Ciub Eight, stroked by M. F. Land, defeated the Mih-ho-Loong Hook and Ladder Co.

Some time between three and six o'clock on the morning of the 21st inst. the house of Mr McLennan, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, at Singapore, was entered by thieves, and Mr McLennan's bedroom ransacked. The thieves made off with several a articles of jowellery and a bull-dog revolver valued altogether at about \$160.

THE Band of The 'King's Own ' Regiment will play the following Programme at the Officers' Mess, Murray Barracks, this evening, commencing at 8 p.m.:-

Un Balla in Maschera! ... Virdi. B .- Valse ...... 'A Maid of Kent' ..... Lotothian. 'Ora Pro Nobis' .-Selection ... 'Parisina' \*Chartilly ..... Waidteafel God save the Queen.

In connection with the forged note case just concluded at the Assizes (says the Singapore Free Press of the 21st inst.), in which Grosse was sentenced to ten years' and Schultz to eight years' penal servitude. Mr Orain, the Acting Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, is now in receipt of a telegram to the effect that the mother-in-law of Grosse has been arrested

Masor R. Dunman, Commandent Singa. burn VA, whose period of service as Yolunteer began over twenty-six years ago, and who has therefore earned the longyears' service, received the Volunteer Off. cers' Decoration at Singapore on the 21st inst. Surely some of our Hongkong Vo. luntcers are entitled to the ordinary deco-

AT a recent religious conference in Porth, a Mrs Audersont who is evidently a missionary on furlough, delivered an address the Senior Naval Officer's ship at Singaon mission work in China. In the course of her remarks she spoke in support of the loave this station immediately. H.M.S. scheme for a home for missionary children, Hermione, due here on Monday, will reand said the missionary life was a far nobler | main at Singapore till relieved life then riding on bicycles. She did not 26th inst. for Ilu-ilu, in the Philippines, think it wrong to ride bicycles, but they | relieving the Pique, now there, which proshould give their support first of all to missions and mission work and homes for mis- at Ilo-ilo until relieved there by H.M.S. cionary children. In Mark Twain's fay- Ruttler. Singapore will be sorry to lose true, nothing wrong in riding bicycles, but it will be time enough for the people of Perth to give up their 'bikes' in favour of Mrs Anderson's schemes when the hicycling missionary is unknown in China.

In those days of war, and of rumours which are the outcome of such a condition, little things get magnified into great events. It tintions. The vessel carries 4500 tons of Welsh coal for the British Naval Autho. rities, and lies outside awaiting orders. She left Wales on March 22nd, and may be ordered to take up the cargo to the North, a day in the working-day of 21 hours, It may be noted that the stoamer which is the output guaranteed by the Uranue, which arrived in harbour on 24th inst., with cil for Messre Smith, Bell & lishment, which is on the most complete Co., via Cebu, belongs to the sunus owners (Gladatone & Cornforth) as the Carita This curious fact has caused some confus. of Bikhs and findlyes. The grounds adjoin Hupire which might be leased to or come

Legs, risks and Blood Cheeses Phopies, and for that courtely when we have it thank to be sufficient of say kind are reliabled to give Clarke's visit on Saturday, passonally conducted by Richard Wife | Ch. He seem its voltage of wonderful curse have been the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar Wife | Ch. He seem its voltage with the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar Wife | Ch. He seem its voltage with the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar Wife | Ch. He seem its voltage with the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar with the property of the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar and property left as voltage with the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar and property left as voltage with the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar with the management of the managing director. Mr. James Jones. Rectar with the management of the

THE N. Y. K. steamer Tokio Maru (Capt. | There were 8 plague cases and 9 deaths

THE folloving appointment has been made at the Admiralty :- E. R. Vine, to the Tamar, additional, as Chief Engineer at Hongkong Yard, to date April 25.

THE Post Office will be closed on Whit Hamston's Circus has been doing good | Monday except from 8 to 9 a.m. Corresbusiness at Sydney. The Sunday Times of | pondence for Hongkong Peak and Kow-

#### REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

II UPPLIED TO THE 'CRINA MAIL! LONDON, 25th May, 1898.

THE SPANISH AMERICAN WAR. It is stated that Admiral Corveras' squadron is hemmed in at Santiago de

RESULT OF THE DERBY. Danlop, ... 3

WEATHER REPORT.

Observatory:--

has fallen in the extreme North, and remains almost stendy elsowhere. A low pressure area appears to be passing from. the mainland to the N. part of the Sea of Japan. Gradients slight on the China coast. Forecast :- S.W. or varying winds,

ROYAL HONGKONG GOLF CLUB.

SCOTLAND v. THE WORLD, The following teams wincet next week in this important match :-

|     | Scotland.         | The World.          |
|-----|-------------------|---------------------|
|     | Dr J. A. Lowson   | C. W. May           |
|     | G. Stewart        | Lieut des Voeux     |
| ι   | A. S. Anton       | Rev. G. R. Vallings |
| ,   | Capt. Montgomerie | V. A. C. Hawkins    |
| .   | B. L. Dalrymple   | Capt Murray Rumse   |
| Ĺ   | J. Thurburn       | C. A. Tomes         |
| լ   | M. Stewart        | C. H. Grace         |
| . 1 | G. W. F. Playfair | H. Pinckney         |
| 1   | A. J. McLure      | P. de C. Morriss    |
| ١   | W. Taylor         | G. Millward         |
| .   | E F. Mackay       | W J. Saunders       |
| ' ! | K. McK. Ross      | Commander Ta lor    |
| Į   |                   | R.N.                |
| ŀ   | C. S. Sharp       | J. Hastings         |
| . ! | D. Landale        | E. R. Morriss       |
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have a very weak tail, and in the long run will probably lose. What's the betting?

THE Singupore Free Press of the 21st ivst. says :- There is a stronge fatality attached Municipal pumping station, as, within the estate of Domenico Musso deceased, and short space of a year, two of the occupants directing the account to be made out. As buried yesterday afternoon,

Ir was expected that the reinforcement of the British Ficet in China by two battioships and a certain number of cruisers would pretty well tax the resources of which is given for twenty Hongkong Dockyard for repairs. Admitting that the Government is fully slive to the question of foreign dockyards, none of thom, including even Malta, is now sufficient to cops with the increased work. which owing to the recent additions to the Navy and the ships on foreign service, has been imposed upon them. - L. and C.

> H.M.S. Plover, which has been off and on pore for about nine months, an unusually Danhas. The Plater may leave about the coods at once to England on termination of her commission. The Pleter will remain Commander de Horsey and his officers. who have made themselves very popular during their prolonged stay at this port,-Singapore Free Press, May 21.

A serious interference on the part of the Ch n so with the rights conferred by the extra article of the Treaty of Tientsin, confirmed b/ the Chelco Convention, has to be recorded: A proclamation signed by the Hume (Board of Revenue, Peking) has been issued, levying a heavy tax upon the opium dealers. Wholesale houses are to be divided into three classes, upon the first | Captain Pirie, and Mr Stuart, of which a tax of Tis. 1,000, per annum. is to be levied; on the second Tls. 750, and on the third Tls. 500. Of course, this is altogether illegal and must not be ed to sanction the re-enactment of the remembered that knowledge, however exallowed, and we understand that Mr R. W. Contagious Diseases Ordinance in Mansfield, H.B.M.'s Consul General, has Straits Settlements, but that I was con-'man in the street,' promptly taken the matter in hand, and ferring with the Governor as to whether placed himself in communication with the other measures can be taken to check the and life is absolutely necessary and that I - China Gazette.

Pooting side is now working to its full capacity and turning out 100 bales of yarn makers of the machinery. It is quite a lessure to go over the Company's ostab. scale, and includes a village with some 3,600 inhabitants, kept in the most appleplo order, and policed by a private lorde, missionaries in those portions of the Chinese gion, and the Urania was erromonally sup. the Seamen's Usinetery at Procuping, and the Urania was erromonally sup. the prefty Seamen's Church is now head Ballour There are not believed to be sty to possible to be supposed to be sty to practically all Roman Catholics, the worthy Chinese territory which have so ist been Brinsmead & Allison Pianos, the very best Father who has been in spiritual charge leaved to foreign Fewers, and, accordingly, raino.—Rebinson Piano Co.

Bome 500 women and 500 men and boys thents on their behalf. The general righty our mattel as wall as our physical capabilities. the Societary, Mr Turner, the supiners with regard to interiorates in China are form from Brotale. Boury, Losoms, Bad the carder, all of those we have in their countries. In their courtesy when we have in their countries. The Blood is the scores from which our thre simpleyed in the Mill itself, under the

SUPREME COURT, IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. (Before His Honour Sir John Carrington, Chief Justice.) Friday, May 27,

V. P. MUSSI DI PERALTA AND OTHERS

His Lordship delivered judgment in this case, stating the facts upon which the questions to be determined arose as follows. The plaintiffs are the sons of the defendant by her deceased husband Domenico Musso. who was formerly Consul for Italy in the Colony. The defendant was married to him in Italy in the year 1872, and at that time she and Mr Musso were Italian sul justs domiciled in Italy They continued to live together as husband and wife, and their demicile remained the same until date of Mr Musse's death. In 1885 Mr. Musso became possessed of certain leasespective residues of the several terms of 990 years from the 25th June, 1861, createxecuted an indenture in consideration wife, assigning these parcels of crown land and the measuages, erections and The following notice is issued from the Office. On the same date the defendant banks. As the Mo Sz moves up and down, executed a power of attorney by which, after recital that she was possessed of certain On the 27th at 11.40 a. The barometer | leasehold property, she appointed her husband Domenico Musso her attorney with full power of sale, etc., in relation to the leasehold properties mentioned in the deed. time of his death, at the same time paying ply of pure water, and the most feasible contended that his possession was that of a trustee. Mr Musso died on 16th December, 1896, and it was agreed between the parties that as regards the leasehold properties in question he died intestate. A few days after his death the memorial of registration above mentioned was registered by the plaintiff. On the death of her husband the defendant entered into possession of the properties, and she had since received the rents thereof. Apparently also she had paid the Crown rents and performed dead bodies of men and animals, and espethe other covenants entertained in the deed. The plaintiffs, as next of kin of Domenico Musso, applied to the Court for a declaration that the deed is null and void is no wonder that there is plague—the and that the properties purporting to be assigned thereby form part of the estate. They also asked for an account of the rents and profits received by the defendant, and disinfecting power of sunshine and air for payment by her to the estate of what may be found due on the taking of such ac-Members in the above lists who cannot count. His Lordship thought it was clear play in the match are requested to notify that the defendant's contention that the case the Hon. Secretary at the Hongkong Club | was governed by English and not by Italian to that effect to-morrow, in order to arrange law of real property was well founded and for substitutes at once. Ordinary match | must provail. His Lordship dealt at some play and results must be finished on Fri- length with cases which related to the day, 3rd June. Most of the matches will general question of imperfect affire as disprobably he played on Whitmonday, and | tinguished from declarations of trust, and although Scotland have a strong head they also cases in which the subject of gifts between husband and wife were dealt with and their effect in equity ascertained. The judgment concluded by ordering the issue of a decree in favour of the plaintiffs declaring the deed of assignment null and void. and that the leasehold properties purporting to the post of third Engineer at the to be assigned thereby form part of the

have died. Mr Edmond Percira was car- the litigation had been occasioned by no ried off last year, and his place was taken | fault of the defendant, but by the mistake by Mr Felix Gomes, one of the few of her husband, he did not like to decide Pak Tai to Canton this week, to drive United States Government has given heavy plained the matter by saying that there London from his solourn at Beauliou, in apply in Chambers within fourteen days from this date. If no application was made the plaintiffs would have their costs. Mr Pollock, who appeared for the plain-

tills, said he was instructed not to ask for His Lordship said if it could be done ha thought it would be better if the costs were borne by the estate. Mr Francis, for the defendant, said his Lordship had no power to make that order, His Lordship was aware of that, but sim. ply put it out as a suggestion,

> THE wreck of the potroleum-laden American ship Duniel Barnes, stranded off the coast of Lombok, has been bought by a Syndicate at Sourabaya, It intends, says the Locomoties, to send some one to the wreck with workmen, tools, and appliantes to salve whatever they can. There were forty thousand cases of dil on board.

The matter was left open.

The Foreign Office has chiesen a first-rate men as British Military Attachs with the American Army in Captain A. H. Lee. R.A., whose appointment is officially announced. Cantain be first won favourable notice of the military authorities by a peculiarly brilliant and daring feat of military reconnaissance. He was offered, and accepted, the important post of Professor of Military Topography at the Royal Military College at Ringston, Outario. which post, after filling it with marked success for the regula ion five years, he vacates this year,

to questions but by Mr. Hedderwick Chamberlain said : I informed the Straits Settlements Association, in reply to their letter of Nov. 8 last, that I am not prepar-British Minister in Peking on the subject. spread of venereal diseases in that colony. can only come through the spread of Chr The correspondence with the Governor on the subject is not yet completed. When completed the correspondence will be laid before the House - This reply probably will include Hongkong.

> In the House of Commons on the 28th April, Sir G. Baden Powell asked the ther any arrangements had been made, or mould be made, as to the preservation of the present status and rights of Protestant

CANTON NOTES. (From Our Own Correspondent.)

Canton, May 26. There is no improvement in the health of Canton. On the contrary, the general testimony is that the Plague is gradually getting worse. Reports from Fatahan and other parts of the country are equally unsatisfactory. It is at these times that the ingrained stupidity and stubborn conser. vatiom of the Chinese make themselves felt most of all. The favourite method of driving out the Plague-devils is by the use of the Mo Sz (無 Mi or masked lion. The figure, made of paper, has no resemblance to a lion in anything but the name. It consists of a great grotesque head with a small hold properties in Victoria, known he body. The glaring colours with which it is Marino Lot No. 188 and the Remaining besmeared completes anything that is wanting to make up its ugliness. With threaten-. ing jawa and enormous protruding eyes, ed by the Crown leases of the lots respect the figure darts from side to side to the sound of a drum. The motive power is a for, his love and affection for his man concealed inside the Mo Sz, who, in addition to his hard work, must be almost buildings thereon to her. On the date of suffocated in the narrow space. Night the execution of this deed Mr Musso signed and day, the sound of this performance can the memorial for its registration, but the memorial was not registered in the Land be heard in the city and along the river long strings of fire-crackers are let off by the houses in the neighbourhood, partly allaying the fears of the people, some good may be done, but at what a cost com-Mr Musso continued in possession of the pared with commonsense methods. The employees is held by Sheng Thotai and I trust that these tribesmen, who have the United States. Many torpedo-boat rents and profits thereof, but the defendant | way of getting this would seem to be by opening Artesian well.

ARTESIAN WELLS. drainage, according to Western methods. most important of all is the fact that the river could not stand any addition to its cially little children polluting the waters and disseminating disease and death. marvel is that it is not ten times worse. make this city just inhabitable. doubtless show that thoy are all more or bore for Artesian wells. It is highly abundant supply of water could be secured for this great city. It is a pity that an enlightened community like the Shameen does not lead the way in such a worthy enterprise. If some one would take the matter up, it ought not to be difficult to get enough money from the Chinese to make the preliminary barings. The money for quinine. The rise began in New York.

MISSIONARY CONFERENCE, The Conference met at the house of Dr

Mary Fulton, Shameen, on Wednesday afternoon, May 25. Dr Henry read a paper on 'The Present Position of the Re. form Movement in China. The essay was of great interest, and was much appreciate ment in 1896 netted a profit of over 98,000 of China have driven home the lesson that something must be done to meet the present crisis, and to prepare for the future. China, to-day, is in a position that is pitiable in the extreme. Her haughty bearing has nearly disappeared, and there is a comers almost before they have made their demands. Russian influence in paramount in Manchuria, Corea is now entirely indemendent of China, Gormany has established moss, with its valuable forests of camphor, French ilag at Kwongchau-wan will in all probability be followed by the occupation of the island of Heinan by that nation.

The essayist showed the immense possibilities of China, her great population, her mineral wealth, and the ability of her people. A good word was said for the Rev. Gilbert Rold and his associates, but it was pointed out that the foreign section of the Chinese Reform party is perhaps pandering too much to the tastes of the Chinese. The advent of science and Western learning | mercial depot. N.-C. Donly News. in China is cause for joy, but it must be cellent in itself, cannot lift China out of her present difficulties. A new moral force | port. The Taungli Yamen, it will be retimity in the Empire.

No formal notice was taken of the fact that this was the last conference Dr Henry large ordisers to Focchow, with brows of is likely to attend for some time, but much | about a thousand men. Their first demand regret was felt all the same at the circum- Arsenal, but the harbour-master pointed out stances that necessitate his return to the Under Scoretary for Foreign Affairs who. United States for a season! It is the hope of many in this community, besides the missioneries, that Dr Henry may be able to | 500 men, as they were tired and sick ofter bring back Mrs Henry again to Canton elrong and well. Our good wishes go with that there was no room at the Arestral thom, and we wish their a speedy return.

THE CENTRAL CHINESE RAILWAY. REPORTED HITCH IN THE NEGOTIATION ..

Shanghai, May 23. Incredible as it seems, we have the best possible reason for believing that the protest of the Russians, Germans and French against the contract given to the British firm Jardine, Matheson & Co. and the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank for the Yangto Valley and the Woosung Railway, has been effective. The contract remains uncompleted, though the preliminary agreement has been signed, and though the strongest assurances were received from the Tsung-li Yamen and the British Minister that everything was in order. It is highly significant that the edict sanctioning the whole arrangement has not yet made its appearance. rity that it is the Germans who have rendered the transaction a fiasco, so far but we cannot imagine that the British Government will telerate such outrageous making favourable progress after his accidinterference with legitimate British enter- ent. When the plaster of paris was removprise in a region in which British in ed from his leg, it was seen that the central fluence is admitted to be paramount. Our fracture had not united. The leg was again information is that it is our Royal bound up, but Sir George White was told friend Prince Reury of Prussia, who has that after five weeks, if no improvement taken the lead in the opposition, which had then taken place, an operation would only attacks the contract on side issues, be necessary. The late Commander-inand carefully avoids all mention of the Chief is described as keeping up his spirits right of British enterprise to exploit the wonderfully well. Yangtse Valley. A statement has been put forward by the protesting parties Sir W. Lockbart's Despatches on the Maryleb ne Club has decided that it ought that the opening of Woosung, which it Tresh eperations between the 27th January to select the players and grounds for the was agreed should become an open treaty and the 5th April are now published. The port, has been largely nullified so far as names specially mentioned are those of other nationals than British we concerned Generals Hamilton and Ottley, Col. Haugh; by the fact that British firms, -in fact the ton, Captain Brasier-Creugh, Major C. S. British firm which has obtained the rail- L. Barter, Captain Wellscole, Lieutenant way contract -own most of the land in that | Robb and Surgeon Lieut. Dick. region, and what that firm does not hold in - In commenting on the present attitude Taotai Shun Tun-bo, who will transfer, or proved themselves as brave fees as the have transferred their holdings to the firm Sikhs did, may, like the latter, become our mentioned; so that no German shipping or firm friends. other firm is able to obtain eligible sites under the provisions governing the purchase of land in the new Treaty Port ! It cers, is gazetted to the Order of Merit for definitely settle the boundary dispute, and is also represented that a German en- saving Lieutenant Morris's life in the Bara to this end offers peace or war. Fortunately for Canton, there is no gineer has already practically constructed Valley last September, by helping him on the Woosung railway, built the stations to his own horse under a heavy close range The city lies too low for one thing, but and that Germany, consequently, has a and bridges and laid the pernament way, fire, and getting him into cover; Morris's prior claim to the completion of that line. We are informed that Prince Henry has made strong representations upon these present impurities. At all times, there are point to the Imperial Chinese Government Muscat to settle the case of the Baluchistan's co in May, 1900. on behalf of his nationals, and that it was cargo, has decided that the ship was legally he who persuaded the French Minister and seized, and that the Bushire part of her

the protest. At the moment we do not a Persian Gulf correspondent, was based Ireland. It is estimated that 2,500,000 think it advisable to enter any further into on the acknowledged fact that a new mani- tons of coal are available. the details of this iniquitous intrigue, but festo had been made out and the port we would reiterate our opinion that if marks altered in Port Said. The matter The cleansing effect of the tides and the this precious protest is allowed to prevail will now probably be brought before the British merchants and bankers may as Courts at Home. well pack up their belongings and prepare to out China by the first steamer. examination of the wells in the city would We are almost afmid to print this it is is fourteen deaths from Plague took place at of the China Gazette, lest it provoke a Bombay to-day. The deaths from all less contaminated. The only easy and Hon kong Banks we notice have dropped a Calculta, May 11.—Dr Cook, Health practicable way out of the difficulty is to pound in London, but whether it is in con- Officer, has had his hands full for the past nection with the Railway hitch or not we three or four days, performing inoculations probable that in this way a permanent and excellent authority that Sheng Taotai has pupils of the American College have underinformed French and German officials that gone the operation, and one or two Insuecthere is no binding contract! We will tors of the local Police Force followed suit. Segesta, the Premier, is surrounded by a see what Sir Claude Macdonald considers a The Health Officer has set apart two days violent mob, who are shouting Down with ported in the only cogent way by the Home | coulation.

> factory, which on the 29th April stood at poison meant for the poor people. 18.30 guilders per unit, rose to 18.75 private cinchona planters.

Government. — Gasette.

Out readers will no doubt remember M Melton Prior's account of the position of Tsingtao, which is the port meant when Liacobou Ray is spoken of, and difficulties he foresaw in the way of making readiness to make concessions to all news a safe harbour there. Tsingtso is on the south-eastern side of the point which jute out in a south westerly direction from the mainland on the north side of the entrance to the Bay, and Mr Prior mentioned that with south east winds blowing, ships had the run for chelter to the north-western side herself at Kisochau, the rich island of For. of the point. We learn that it has now been found that there is a good belt of deep water some three miles or more has gone to Japan, and the raising of the length and over a mile in width on this north western side, and it is proposed move the town of Tsingteo over to that side, fill up the foreshore, and make a bund and wherves at which steamers can lie in entaty. The Krupp Company propose to build a breskwater out from the side opposite where the present town of Tenate is, and thus a good harbour will be made The proposed German railway is to start from the new town of Tsingtao and run sloug the north side of Kisochon Bay to the nity of Kinochou, through Chimo, and on by Welhien and Chingohou to Chinanfu and when this railway is built. Tsingter will undoubtedly become an important com-As has been already mentioned, the Chinese

membered, was 'holl-doted into engaging a large number of Frenchmen at high salapay these men. The French have sent two was that they should be perthad opposite the that there was not water shough for them there. Then an application was made to H.E. Yil Lu, the Tarter-General, that the French orusers should be allowed to land their long voyage from Europe, and quarter for their spenimedation, and he assertain. ad privately that there were no link among Tax Bealth and Vignes of an individual decorated the Francis ordinary. He add to WILSON THE PO.

pand upon the quantity and quality of the Blood. Despective to the Standard or the Standard o

ble state of alarm as to French designs at the

LATE TELEGRAMS.

(Times of Cepture.) A PARLIAMENTARY GAIN FOR THE

London, May 13 .- Mr. Soumes, the Liberal Candidate, has been elected ber for Norfolk (South), by a numberity of 1 330 votes over Mr Holmes, the Unionist Candidate, and replacing Mr Taylor, the Unionist Member, who had resigned The polling was an follows :--Soumes (Liberal) ... 4,626

Holmes (Unionist) ... 3,296 AN INDIAN TOWN BURNT DOWN. Bombay, May 10 .- A disastrous fire oc curred on Monday morning, completely destroying Sionimalwa, a native town, 26 miles from Hurda. The damage done i estimated at 31 lakhs. The conflagration was seen at a distance of 14 miles.

informed upon excellent author sin George white not MARING SATISFAC TORY PROGRESS. Sinda, May 9th .- Private accounts from Home state that Sir George White is not

THE TIRAH DESPATCHES.

-THE ORDER OF MERIT. Sowar Rahmat Singh, 9th Bengal Lanhorse having been killed. THE SEIZING OF THE 'BALUCHISTAN'S

PLAGUE NEWS FROM INDIA.

the family and servants, was inconlated Carlists are circulating pamphlots of a BATAVIA nowapapers state that one result Police precautions were made. About yesterday. Apprehending a disturbance, revolutionary character. of the war has been to send up quotations 2,000 low-class Mahommedans gathered

months rigorous imprisonment. BEARCH FARTY ATTACED AND THE

anddenly broken yesterday by a dintur- that could be casily delonded. patient, if necessary. Un arrival the party enhanced by what had taken place. Virile gave the intimation to the inmates of nations were everywhere absorbing deonthe house, and forthwith a crowd, number dent nations. Although seeds of conflict ing 800 or 400 people, nasembled in a were being sown in many directions, deliant attitude, armed with sticks. The Bitain faced the future without disquieparty immediately took in the situation tude, but would never allow herself to be and retired for the police. On their return I taken at a disadvantage they were immediately surrounded and attacked by natives, and had to best another hasty retreat; till the police came on the scene and finally dispersed the OSullivan is leaving here shortly on a mob. During the absence of the party, special mission for the British Government the rioters, selzing the ambulance cart, up the Vangtae to Hunan. upset the bedding and partains and cart. and pouring spirits over the same not the heap on fire, utterly destroying everything. PATHAN RAILWAY GOOLIES ATTACK A SEPOY

rice for his years for the Arsenal at Foo. Place at the plague Camp at Klamari, chow, but Fuklen is a poor province, and Marrachee, last night. Some Pathan coolies to batten on the woll-known weaknesses of there is a difficulty in getting the funds to who had been engaged for the Mombeses; the British Tar. Land that two months ago railway, and were detained at the camp under observation, attacked the guard of now ask more than \$100.00 for. Several the let Bombay Grenadiera Four sepoys Britishers from Chafoo have negotiated for were injured, and nine coolies. No tin. aren were used, and order was restored.

Newel that there is so much disaffection in Fukien province, and so much unessiness in the native city of Foodbow, that Centain them at the Arabbal. H.E. Yu Lu replied Golloway had asked permission to take it is a matter that will only be doubted by H.M. S. Damine, after lightening, up to

When the Harms have been at works how are the product of the produ These of the remarks of the state of the sta in a Beary Eddens, had long this and Blood in have anything to do who have used the supplicing to the suppl

NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL

WAR TELEGRAMH.

London, May 4 Some English yachts lying at Malaga, in Spain, have been mobbed by the Spaningds. May 5.—The Berlin newspapers have published articles upon the uggestion that in the event of the Philippines being wrested from Spain they will be sold by the

United States to England. The Derlin journals declare that if England obtains the Philippines Gurmany will olaim Samon. Spanish mails which have been captured indicate that there is a great amount of destitution at Havana. Beef cannot be purchased under 8s per lb. Meat is so scarce that the flesh of mules and horses is being esten.

May 15 -The American Government has chartered thirty ships to convoy 25,000 troops to the Philippine Islands:

LORD BRASSEY ON A COALITION. May 6.—In the course of an interview Lord Brassey, Governor of Victoria, who has arrived in London, said that Australia would gladly welcome common action between Great Britain and the United States in the larger affeirs of the world. Australia, he added, was rapidly triamphing over her difficulties arising out of the late commercial depression.

In connection with the next visit of an test matches, and that one test match ought to be played in Yorkshire. Unless the test matches are under the auspices of the Marylebone Club Yorkshire will not allow her players to appear,

ACTIVITY IN THE RUSSIAN NAVAL YARDS. destroyers are also being constructed, and seven battleships and six cruisers are in course of completion.

CHILI AND THE ARGENTINE,

THE CANADIAN MAIL CONTRACT. The Canadian Government has modified the terms of the contract entered into with Mesers. Paterson, Tate, and Co., of Now. castle-on-Tyne, for the mail service between England and Canada. The mail will be a weekly one, and the contract will commen-

DISCOVERY OF COAL IN TEXLAND. the Russian Charge d' Affaires to join in cargo was contraband. This declaion, says in the county of Antrim, in the north of

> THE TRANSVAAL. In his speech at the opening of the Transvaal Volksraad, President Kruget said he lioged that the correspondence which was proceeding with the British Government would rought in a satisfactory settlement of the difference of opinion as to the right of the Transvaul to enter

into international relations independently RIOTING IN MADRID. A serious revolutionary outbreak has place in the streets! The house of Sonor contract, and we trust that he will be sup. (Wednesday and Saturdays) for public in. the Government. Military officers in ordinary dress have joined the Republicans, Rajah Benoy Krishna, with the whole of and are denouncing the munarchy. The

topp saliencey outering London, May 5 .- A great demonstration were three kinds of serum, one for Sahiba, the south of France, was present, and was that Java quining from the Bandong little fever; and the third was a deadly speech in which he dealt upon the foreign outlook of Great Britain. He said that An exemplary sentence was passed by the integrity of the Empire was much guilders per unit on the 10th instant. The Mr Mukerji, Deputy Magistrate, Scaldah, safer at the present time than Government cinchons plantations in Java on a netive of Manicktola, charged with it was in 1884, when the Empire was do not bear out the common opinion that having caused a false alarm by giving out amongst the breakers. Referring to home that he had been forcibly inoculated by affairs, Lord Seliebury expressed his confiby private enterprise. An official report three persons. He stated that one person dense that the House of Lords would just published shows that of the Govern- held him by the waish shother osught hold remain unaltered, and unimproved for ed by all who heard it. The misfortunes guilders from its cinchons catates. That him on the right forestim. It turned out sible to strengthen that Chamber, which that he had only fallen on a prickly should contained splendid metarini, without and hurt himself. He bandaged his fore, weakoning the House of Commons. The arm, fell on a charpoy and gut the female fiscal position of the country was unequalmembers of the house to fan him. Directs | lad in the history of the world. He referthe residents heard the man's story | red to the splendid work performed for the they all rushed out, armed with sticks. In Empire by such men as Mr Coell Rhodes. quest of the incoulator, A police con- the late Sir Gerald Portal, Sir Horbert stable on duty in plain clothes come upon Kitchener, Sir William Lockhart, Sir the scene and arrested the accused, who, Claude Macdonald, and Lord Cromer, pleading guilty, was sentenced to eighteen Adverting to the British judicy in the Far East, Lord Salisbury eald that the Chinese question was a diplomatic cracker with many deconations, Calculle, May 18. The gradually re- occupation of Wei hai-wei gave Britain an turning tranquility at Calonda was again | enurhious advantage, and it was a port bance which occurred near the Medical Arthur would have been useless to Britain, College over the removal of a native Plag . It was a great mistake on the part of patient to an isolation hospital. The case Russia to take it, and she had not added to was reported to the Health Departme t. her influence at Pekin thereby. Despite and an assistant health officer and party, the jargon about her splendid isolation, with an ambulance cart, were sent to British was amply competent to hold her investigate the case, and remove the own, and her influence in China had been

We hoar (says the Meroury) that Cantain

WEITING on the 16th just from Weinsproj a correspondent of the N. C. Dilly News says :- There is quite a boom in land Bombay, May 12 .- A disturbance took and house property. Chinese and others might have been bought for \$30.00 they land on which to build But I do not know that any money has yet changed hands. A well known Chinese firm in Chefoo has, I understand, bought up a good bit of land We are informed (says the N.-O. Liquid and house property on very reasonable terms. But it is a risky speculation. For who knows whether Linkung as or the mainly it will be the busy part! Probably the existencies of the future.

> Investities in the Blood. We have some home of letters from people who have received west benefit from the use of Clarke's Bood

STEAMSHIP SYDNEY. COMPAGNIE DEB MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

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DAY, the 3)th May, will be subject to rent and landing churges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Monday, the 30th May, or they will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined-

on Monday, the 30th May, at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, May 22, 1898

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL

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· Madras, ox s. c. Lalpoora. Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. To-DAY. Goods not cleared by the 31st May, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no Claims will be recognised.

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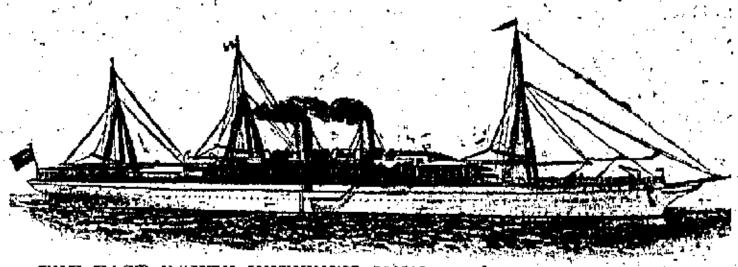
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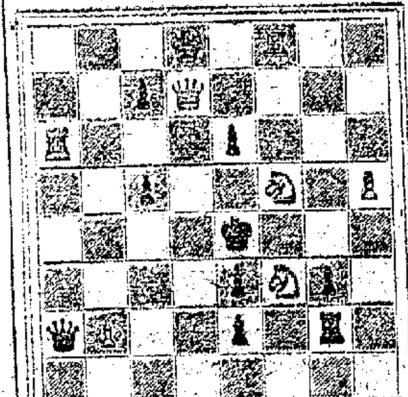
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1. P-R7 2. Q-Q3 1. K-Kt- 2. Q-B2 2. Q B 2 2. Q- K 6 2; Q-QB6

Hongkong, May 26. From the Singapore Fire Press, I learn that Java has now a chess column edited by M. F. Onnen, and containing problems games and chess notes relating to the doings of the Concordis and Batavis Chess Clubs. This seems to be the seventh in the For East, and I trust it will prosper No copy of it has reached me yes, but hasten to waive formality and hid Mr Unnen welcome to the fraternity of the world's best benefactors, those that teach it chess.

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> ly tabulated form a vast mass of lines of play resulting from the various gambits. the author shows concisely the ideas underlying each, the advantage expected from the sacrifice and the reasons which lead the opponent to accept or decline it. The work is admirably done so as both to dealysis one more deep, safely past the first dozen moves. The aim is clearly not to

The Birmingham Weekly chess column. recognised both by La Strategie and the None Rivisita degli Scacchi as one of the best English columns, has the following

My friend Brown is an expert chil mouth, and frequently fort sick and prostrate player, and when recently ruralising amid had no relish for food, and, after sating, had the bumpkins was delighted to find a pain at the chest and sine. Such was my man: simple, innocent couple who realised his ner of life for years. Two years ago my sister ideal of Darby and Joan, and who, 'pour surcroit de bonheur, actually played chess. Brown submitted that the Royal game was digested. Since that time I have felt quite a great resource in a quiet hamlet like now being-so I ght hearted and strong. What Daisy Knoll, and Darby declared that

> . And when we are tired of playing; or when one is indisposed to play, we have problem solving to fall back on, said Joan. 'Ah !' said Brown, more and more interested, 'I perceive that you cultivate both branches of the noble art.' 'Yes, indeed,' said Darby, 'and what

could be more interesting than the solution of a good first-prize three-mover ?" 'Nothing,' assented Brown. 'But don't you find prize three-movers rather tall -I mean steep-I mean-' (Brown's do now. (Signed) Miss L. White, 92, Barnsbury | club-life has injected him with slang, and classical words come rustily). 'I mean stiff-er-a-a-difficult? Yos, that's the word was looking for-don't you find prize

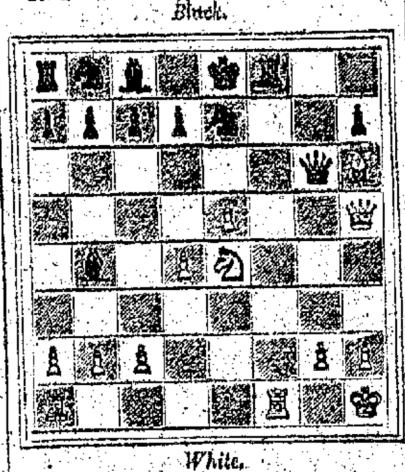
three-ers rather difficult ? 'O, no l' out in the emiable Juan; 'O, no, not at all. In fact, we have had so large an experience that instead if taking three moves, we frequently contrive to solve them in two' !!!

Poor Brown. Not only was he once more disillusioned, but he had a pain in tary ebullition of mirth, which would have completely ruined his reputation as a person having a decent and civilised respect for his

From the same source I take the follow-

Game No. 222. (Double Muzio.) I. P-K4 2. PxP 2. P-K B 4 3. P-K Kt 4 3. Kt—K B 3 4. B-B 4 5. Castles 4. P-Kt 5 5. Px Kt 6 KyB 8. B x P (ch) (a)

7. Q-B3 8. B-B 4 (ch) 8. Rt-B 3 9. Kt-R 2 9. K-R 89 10. Q-Kt 2 10 P-K b 11, B-Kt ô 11, P-Q4 12, K-K 80 12. B x P 13. R-B sq 13. Kt-K.4 14. Q-R 5 (ch) 14: Q—Kt 3 18. B-R6



15. R x R (ch) 16, Kt-Kt so 17. Kt Q 6 (ch) 17. BxKt: 19. R-B 8 (ch) 19. K-K 2 20. Q-R 4 (ch) 20 K-K 8 21. Q-K sq (ch) 21. K-Q 4 22 Q-R 5 (ch) 22 K-K 3 23. P-Q 5 (ch) 23. K-K 4 24. B-B 4 (ch) 24. K-Q 5 25. Q-Kt 4 (ch) 25. KxP 26. Q-Kt 3 (ch) 26. K-Q 5 27. P-B 3 (ch) 27. Resigns (b) a

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conditions.

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2,-In all competitions, three competitors must enter or there will be no first prize, four or no second, six or no third, 3.—Competition No. 3 - The Ladies Nomination, -is open to Members, nom-

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